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At Secondary level

Teachers endorse strike mandate

by Ariel White

The first day of school may be farther away than high school students think. Secondary school teachers in the Trillium Lakelands District have given a strike mandate to their union negotiators, and despite talks between the teachers and the school board, nothing has been resolved.

High School teachers with the Trillium Lakelands District School Board voted 89 per cent in favour of a strike mandate. Representatives for the 430 high school teachers employed by the Trillium Lakelands Board met with Board representatives at The PineStone Resort this week, but the two sides appeared no closer to a settlement.

With the institution of the controversial Bill 160, all collective agreements between teachers' unions and school boards across the province had to be re-negotiated. The bill will terminate current collective agreements on August 31. On July 24, delegates from both sides met with a conciliator from the Ministry of Labour. The School Board issued a "no board report", which allows the board to lock-out teachers and gives teachers the legal right to strike.

School Board Chair Cheryl Murdoch is optimistic that negotiations will continue and will result in a positive outcome. "We're thinking positive and bargaining in good faith," said Murdoch.

According to Murdoch, the bargaining process has been tough. "The biggest issue is Bill 160," said Murdoch. "The school board has been

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JUST CLOWNING AROUND: A member of the Shriners Clown Troupe makes friends with youngsters along Minden's Main Street during the annual Fall Fair Saturday afternoon. For more photos of the parade see page 16. For a report on the Ambassadors' Contest see page three. Fall Fair results will appear in next week's edition.

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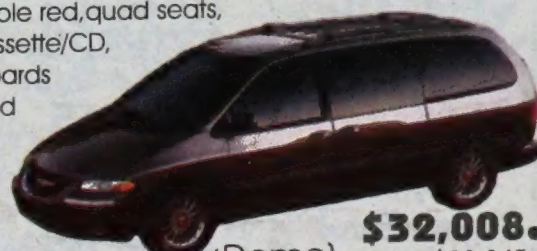
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Strike mandate

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left in the precarious position to make this happen. This bill is a bone of contention."

Although the school year has not yet been affected by the negotiations, and school is expected to resume on schedule, Murdoch admits that this issue will be hanging over schools province-wide. Several other school boards including Halton, the District of Niagara, the Near North and the City of Toronto have been negotiating with teachers who have voted overwhelmingly in favour of a strike mandate. There could be the possibility of a ro-

tating strikes at the secondary school level across Ontario.

According to press releases issued by the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation, educators are concerned with the reduction of teacher preparation time, among other issues. President of the local bargaining unit Peter Carroll stated that he felt that the school board was not taking the negotiations seriously.

Cheryl Murdoch believes that some headway will be made at the bargaining table yet. "All we can hope for is that we make some headway. We want to keep a positive outlook," said Murdoch.

Stanhope council sets tax rate

The following report is a summary of the items discussed at the August 12 regular meeting of the Stanhope Municipal Council.

Budget is revenue neutral

Reeve Eleanor Harrison was relieved to announce that the municipality had finally managed to set the 1998 tax rate and was ready to pass the budget by-law. "It's a day that I think no one thought we would ever get to," said Harrison. "Finally we will be able to get on with things."

Harrison stated that this year's results would be good news for some and not so good for others. Overall, the township has managed to remain revenue neutral despite the province's downloading of services and costs to the municipalities. "I am pleased to be able to report that this tax bill will show that any increases are due solely to Actual Value Assessment. It should show the taxpayers what AVA is doing," said Harrison.

Individual amounts can be calcu-

lated by multiplying a residence or commercial property's assessment by the tax rate. The 1998 Residential/Farm rate total is 0.00943261 and the Commercial Occupied is 0.2413053. The first tax bills will be issued for September.

Charitable donations

The Stanhope council has been reviewing its policy regarding donating money to local non-profit groups and charitable organizations. The council reviewed a policy adopted by the Township of Lutterworth which states that the council will not donate tax dollars to such organizations.

"I have a difficult time donating tax dollars, although each of these organizations do good work," said Reeve Eleanor Harrison. Councillor Tom Gardner agreed. "We shouldn't be out deciding what the taxpayers donate, but I don't want to get caught up in a situation a few months down the line," said Gardner.

Harrison stated that although she

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On the wall

Muralist John Lennard, on the ground, made his project a family affair recently when his son Ian joined him to do some work from the ladder. The two paired up several mornings to add details and colour to the 12 by 60 foot painting on the side of the *The Times* building in Minden. The painting, which has attracted a great deal of attention from passers-by, is expected to be completed in the next few weeks. This photo was taken August 5.

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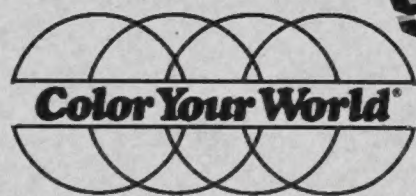
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A by-pass for Ingoldsby?

by Jerry Grozelle

The amount of truck traffic on County Road 18 at Ingoldsby has one of the area residents concerned enough to approach Anson, Hindon and Minden council asking that a two-kilometre bypass be constructed to divert truck traffic away from the residential area.

J. Roderick Mens made a lengthy presentation to council at the August 13 meeting, quoting from a 12 page document he had prepared.

"Ingoldsby has one of the most scenic residential and lakeshore areas in Haliburton County and must not be subjected to pedestrian danger, pollution and excessive noise," Mens said. He was referring to the tandem and tri-axle gravel trucks that have been hauling from the Gay Venture Pit.

Mens said about three kilometres of lakeshore area are affected by truck traffic, pointing out that the "heavy truck invasion" has existed for two years and is expected to continue for another 10 years.

He said the heavy truck traffic is a hazard to joggers, families with children, youth with bicycles and older people who use both edges of the road.

He added that area residents are concerned that their property values will decrease.

"Purchasers are not interested in investing large sums in hazardous and environmentally misused areas," he told council.

"Everybody has faced decreased property values over the past few years," replied deputy-reeve Jerry Rome.

Mens said he has documented periods when gravel truck passes in front of his property were as often as every 45 seconds.

"This extended misuse of the road violates public confidence and trust," he said.

Mens said he has spoken to members of municipal and county staff and he cited the projects for which the gravel was being used as well as proposed future projects. He noted that there was no relief expected from the heavy truck traffic through Ingoldsby for the next decade.

An annual five per cent increase in car and light truck traffic on County Road 18 is expected, according to Mens' sources. Combined with the heavy truck traffic, Mens says: "The impact of this is significant in planning wisely for the longer term."

Mens congratulated Anson, Hindon and Minden reeve Jeanne Anthon for her forward thinking as chair of the county's strategic plan steering committee. He suggested that the county strategic plan should take concerns such as those of the Ingoldsby area residents into consideration when it is formulated.

He quoted a section of the vision statement of the strategic plan which declares as one of its goals, "environmental integrity and a more inclusive and tolerant community."

"This includes wise use of the natural environment, an important resource in Haliburton (County)," he said.

He offered some suggestions which he felt would be consistent with the objectives of the strategic planning process. They included: making only minor improvements to County Road 18 between the junction of County Road 17 and the Lochlin Road turn-off. He speculated that major improvements would not only ruin the scenic nature of that section of road, but it would also "induce higher traffic speed and increased pe-

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Fall Fair Ambassadors

These youths participated in the Haliburton County Fall Fair Ambassadors contest, Friday evening. Among those taking part were, from the left, in the front row: Jim Minto, Alex Danilko, Brad Mickle, Candace Lowes named Princess in the 7-12 age group, Jacqueline Stewart, Kandice Couvillion runner-up in the 7-12 age group, and Emma Smith who won the congeniality award. In the back row from the left are Naomi Stephenson named the Junior Ambassador age 13 to 17,

Teresa Kasepчук, Cheryl Ripley runner-up in the Junior Ambassador in the 13-17 aged group, Tracey Draker, Casey Smith, Tanya Peacock, Jennifer Minto and Sarah Ladurantaye who was named senior ambassador for contestants 18 to 21 years of age. The presentation of the awards was made by the 1991 Fair Queen, Tina Cox (now Gilbert). 1991 was the last year the contest was held. The name has since been changed to Fair Ambassadors.

Nevada tickets yield .5 million

The following is a report of items discussed at the August 10 regular meeting of the Dysart Municipal Council.

Big bucks for Haliburton charities

Over a half a million dollars has been raised through lottery licences issued by the municipality of Dysart et al. Council heard the figures at its meeting last Monday. This amount represents money raised by non-profit groups through the sale of Nevada tickets, and other lottery type draws. The figures for 1997 indicate that \$547,897 was raised in Dysart et al. To date \$355,000 has been raised this year.

Concerns Over Dog Bite

Council reviewed a letter from the Redstone Lake Cottagers Association regarding an incident in which a lake resident was bitten by a dog. The letter requested the municipality review its dog by-law and raise the fines for dogs running at large to \$1,000.

CAO Donna McCallum noted that in any situation in which a person is bitten by a dog, the Ontario Provincial Police must be notified. Reeve Murray Fearrey also stated that there was little the municipality could do that it wasn't already doing. "We should tell them in a letter that if a dog is running at large, and is ugly we'll send someone out to talk to the owner. Then the person who is bitten should call the OPP," said Fearrey.

Skateboard Park

The council discussed the need for a skateboard park in Haliburton Village to keep both skaters and local businesses safe.

The municipality is planning to construct a skateboard park in Head Lake Park, but some feel that an area should be made available in the interim. "These kids are riding down the highway," said Councillor Nancy Roberts. She suggested that some sort of tem-

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Heavy truck traffic prompts by-pass request

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Mens suggested that heavy truck traffic be minimized during July and August and that truck traffic be diverted out the Lochlin Road to County Road 1.

Another option Mens considers viable is the construction of "two-kilometres of new county road further inland, from the junction of County Roads 18 and 17 in Ingoldsby, to the vicinity of Road 18 and the Lochlin Road."

Talk of such a road, he says, dates back 30 years. He said an old survey exists and noted that Craig Kellett, who owns about 75 per cent of the property through which this proposed by-pass would go, has indicated that he would be willing to donate the 66-foot right-of-way through his property. Mens estimated the cost of such a project at \$400,000.

"The county road along the lakefront between these points would then revert to the municipality, which transferred it to the county in the 1970s," he said. "It would become a service road, to which it is well suited."

Mens suggested that the \$4.8-million the provincial government has allocated to the county as part of the

transfer of responsibility for maintenance and improvements to former provincial highways which are now county roads could be tapped to fund such a project.

Reeve Anthon interjected that those funds may not be adequate to maintain that road system, especially if bridge work is required. She pointed out that the county has a responsibility to manage that funding wisely.

Mens said Ingoldsby has one of the highest concentrations of population in the municipality next to Minden. He said millions of dollars have been invested in recreational facilities in Minden, while Ingoldsby has "a rural style ball diamond and an outhouse. This reveals a disparity favouring Ingoldsby for funding by government. An overall adjustment is in order when allocating funds for the necessary new by-pass."

Councillor Grant Plooard was quick to point out that the facilities in Minden are for the use of all municipal residents. "Kids from Ingoldsby play hockey in the arena," he said. Mens was also advised that much of the funding was raised by local service clubs and personal donations to finance the recreational facilities.

Councillor Sinc Nesbitt said that he was familiar with the two-kilometre section of property to which Mens referred. He had walked the length of the proposed by-pass more than 10 years ago. He noted that the proposal met with so much opposition at that time that the notion was abandoned.

Anthon explained that many of Mens' concerns would have to be addressed at the county level.

He thanked council for the opportunity to present his concerns and said he would contact the county to request the same opportunity at that level of government.

During discussions later in the meeting, councillor Daryl Moore suggested that there are other priorities at this time. "I'd like to see us find the money for policing before we spend money on a new road," he said.

Councillor Plooard noted that he knew of at least one property owner who would be adamantly opposed to the by-pass proposal.

Dysart considers skateboard park

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porary area could be created to re-locate the skaters from the downtown area. Roberts suggested an area near the ball diamond. Reeve Fearrey agreed. "We should offer them something and get them off the streets," he said.

Fearrey told council that he had been looking at some skateboard ramps and half pipes that have been privately built in the area. He also noted that the committee of skateboarders which had been raising money for the skateboard park was still looking for more volunteers and had not made much progress so far.

Charitable groups will still get break on hall rental

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didn't like the idea of giving out money, she was adamant about renting the Firefighter's Hall for no or low cost to worthwhile causes. Council also agreed that donating money to disaster funds such as during this year's ice storm would be acceptable. "I would hope that other municipalities would do the same," said Harrison. Council agreed to review the idea at a later date.

Lottery funds go to hospitals

Council announced that it will be receiving \$4,432 under the Advance

Lottery Funding from the Provincial Government. This temporary funding is aimed at funding charities until March of 1999. The money, raised through lottery tickets sales is distributed to registered charities, which have applied for the funding through the municipality.

Stanhope had received two applications, from the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundations and SIRCH inc. Council agreed to donate all of the funding to the Health Services Foundation as it was felt that it would benefit the most people.



Best seats in the house

Benny and Chi Chi were front row centre Friday evening for the return of the Music by the Gull free concert series. The poodles had the choice seats thanks to their owners Peter and Marilyn Tosswill of Gull Lake. All four enjoyed the music of entertainer Doug Goodeve. There are only two more concerts left in the series. This week the 30 piece Highlands Wind Symphony, (formerly the Haliburton County Concert Band) will be the featured group. The concerts conclude August 28 with the vocal stylings of Zoe Chilco.

Meeting welcomes youth input

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at the Stanhope Firefighter's Hall from 9:00 to noon and the Glamorgan Community Centre from 3:00 to 6:00. Both meetings will be followed by a free barbecue.

The Youth Development Committee will be there and it wants to hear your
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Garbage system raises a stink

Reg Holloway thinks that something stinks in Somerville.

Holloway made a presentation to Somerville council at its regular meeting on August 10 concerning the garbage collection system on the Ninth Line.

"I have been writing letters of complaint for a year now and I hope that perhaps we can have a constructive meeting," said Holloway.

Holloway dislikes the garbage disposal pickup sites in use on the Ninth Line. He preferred the previous method in which each home had its garbage picked up instead of the garbage depot system in which residents drop off garbage and recyclable materials at central points. "The pick up points are an eyesore," said Holloway. "It is an abuse of the environment that the council is committed to preserve."

According to Holloway, the garbage is not always in the bins, the door of the bin is left open and the units are not thoroughly cleaned. He feels that the bins encourage nonresidents to leave their garbage which usually means the garbage begins to overflow.

Holloway also dislikes the blue recycling bins. He feels that they are inappropriate to the natural environment.

Councillor John Byrne thanked Holloway for his presentation, but felt that the system was filling a need. "I don't have a problem myself, with the collection points," said Byrne. He noted that he has lived in an area with a collection point system, but has not lived across from the bins, as Holloway does.

Reeve Dianne Austin stated that the township staff as already working long

hours and having trouble with the workload as it was. As well she noted that in many cases, other residents were requesting the installation of the large blue recycling bins in their areas, and the township could not keep up to these requests.

Councillor Audrey Thrasher suggested that the issue could be reviewed by the Waste Management Committee in the near future. It was decided that this would be forwarded to the Waste Management Committee as it was planning a review of garbage collection and waste management across the municipality.

Holloway stated that he would like to attend the public sessions of the committee and promised to return to council. "I will continue to press this," said Holloway.



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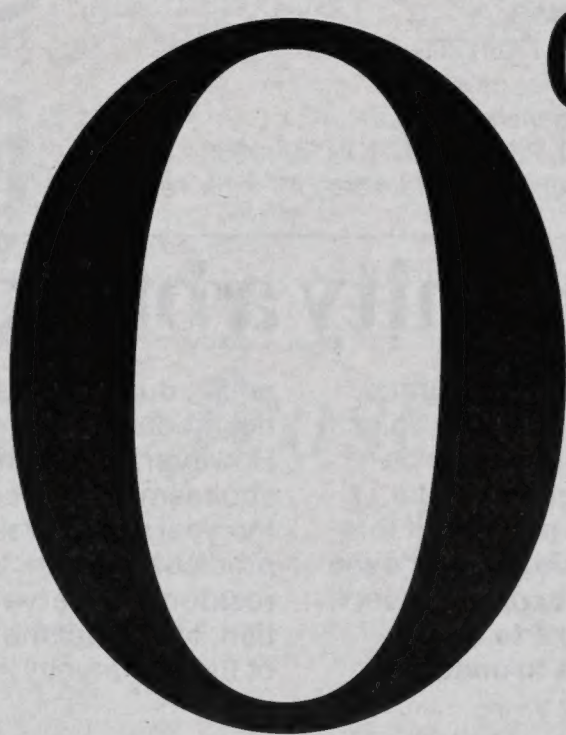
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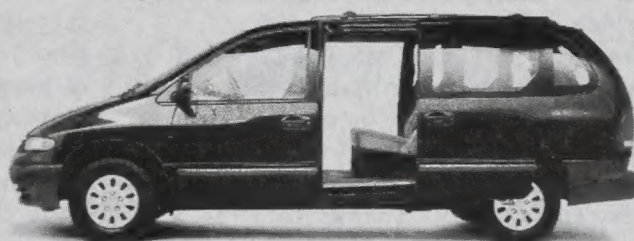
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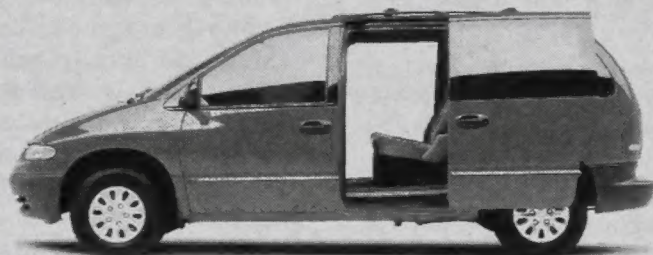
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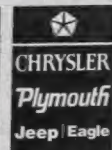
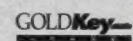
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Editorial Letters

Give the community a brake

We have to agree with the Ingoldsby resident who approached Anson, Hindon and Minden council last week when he says that the community at the west end of Lake Kashagawigamog is one of the most attractive in the county. Nestled along the shore, the homes and cottages enjoy an idyllic setting. The peace in this little slice of heaven in

the Highlands is being disturbed however, by the unfortunate coincidence that places Ingoldsby between a supply of gravel and a location where it is needed. If this were a temporary situation or even a one-year set of circumstances, it would be reasonable to ask the Ingoldsby residents to endure the

noise, dust and disturbance to their neighbourhood over the short-term. However, according to the community spokesman, this could be the start of ten years of gravel truck traffic. If this prediction is true, then the Ingoldsby residents deserve special consideration, to protect the peace and beauty of the community.

jb

Great health service in Minden

Editor:

I am writing to offer my appreciation to the ambulance staff and to the doctors and the staff on duty at the Minden Hospital on June 21, 1998.

As a seasonal resident in Haliburton County for the last two years, this was the first time that I have had to appreciate the services of the ambulance and the Minden Hospital. I guess that I had taken the health care services of our province for granted.

On June 21, I fell off a ladder and broke my ankle and required the services of the ambulance personnel, who took me to the Minden Hospital and later to York County Hospital where I underwent surgery. Thanks to Greg and Curtis.

At the Minden Hospital, I was looked at by Dr. Lauwers. The remainder of the staff, I did not get the names, but they were the nurse on duty, the X-ray technician who came in, and the remainder of the staff on duty that day - thanks very much for the attention.

The staff members were very proficient in their duties and on this date, very busy.

The down side of this letter is the fact that the ambulance crew could not find my location because the township did not have a sign at the crossroads of Bobcaygeon Road and Queen's Line. I have sent a letter to the township demanding a sign be put up. Thankfully this was not a life threatening situation because the time from the

first call to the ambulance and the arrival was approximately 30 to 40 minutes.

Again I thank the ambulance crew and the staff and doctors at Minden Hospital.

Allen Burns
Pefferlaw

Renting the Women's Emergency House

Editor:

The Women's Emergency House Focus Group would like to clear up some misconceptions that may have arisen surrounding Steven Bowskill's use of the W.E.H. facilities.

Steven Bowskill's lease with SIRCH ended on July 1st past. He has been very understanding and generous in his dealings with the Group as it puts a plan together for the future. He has agreed to forgo rent on the premises and have it available for use by the Group if and when it so decides. In return, the Focus Group has agreed that Mr. Bowskill should be able to rent the premises. The Group is now storing equipment and furnishings on site and Mr. Bowskill has agreed to take responsibility for the same. We appreciate his concern and help in this matter.

Mr. Bowskill and Focus Group are currently negotiating on the future of the W.E.H. premises. Any criticism of his current use of the premises should be directed to the Focus Group.

Lon Duncombe and Heather Ross,
Women's Emergency House Focus Group

Reassurance

Editor:

It is not my intention to enter into a public letter writing dual over this matter or any other issue, but to me this issue is very important to the members of the Three Brothers Falls Cottage Association or to anyone else that owns property on the river between the dam and the Three Brothers Falls or to any other property owner in the area or in the township.

I want to applaud Art Field for his open letter to the former Minister of Natural Resources and our MPP Chris Hodgson. What he said in his letter is the same information I got from the

public meeting held in Kinmount in July or any one else that was there. Art's letter got a reply from Chris over this important issue. It is the first statement I have heard from our MPP on this important issue.

It is certainly re-assuring to hear from Chris that he is in our corner and that the dam is going to be repaired and maintained as it was before Mr. Field's letter got us the answer that we all wanted to hear.

Ambrose Ferren,
President Three Brothers Falls Cottage
Association,
Kinmount.

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Memories of Gull Lake

Editor:

I have been coming to Gull Lake, Haliburton County since 1932, when my father, Charles F. Plewman and his wife Ethel founded Kilcoo Boys Camp. I was a young teenager.

Now at 79 it is time to say goodbye.

After summers spent at our two cottages, the Plewman's and Appleton's

next to Kilcoo. Our cottages were the focal points for many Plewman celebrations. Although the Appletons lived in many cities we always returned in summers.

Our two sons would snowshoe in from the highway in winter and have fun skating around Gull Lake before snowmobiles were popular.

Welch's General Store was a place

to buy anything we needed like coal oil for our lamp or shoes.

Mother would drop by and put an order in for the camp at Dollo's vegetable stand.

So many changes have taken place over the years.

While it is sad to leave Gull Lake, it is a great comfort to know that my sister and family - The Brohms - Edward, Anne, Debbie, Costa and Mark and Linda will be taking over the Appleton Cottage.

We say good-bye and send our best wishes. May Minden area continue to thrive as well as it has in the past.

Hazel (Plewman) Appleton,
Gull Lake

Late frost takes its toll

Editor:

Did you know that Minden has frost in July? Six feet deep down frost. A lot of southerners, so I've heard, think Minden is somewhere north of the Arctic Circle but I figured a person from Cobourg would know that way up north here we don't get frost year round.

Well now, according to a letter addressed to my last name, a structural engineer, representing the municipality's insurance company believes that ongoing damages to my home could not have been caused by all the shaking and rattling of heavy equipment, dump trucks, excavators and vibrating compactors, you have probably seen or heard around town, but was in fact frost in July.

To back up a bit, I bought a house six days before heavy equipment began rolling down the streets of Minden, a

house that had survived fifty winter to summer climate changes and two complete families of children to grandchildren with no structural damages. My home, to me was a rare treasure, well cared for and loved by previous owners and as a single mom, my children and I moved in with all our dreams and good intentions. When the construction vibrations began I shrugged it off as a necessary evil — good roads and sidewalks are an asset to any community. When the vibrations began to shake my heaters, the plumbing and my foundation wall began coming apart I notified the town. I notified the town when my back door began pulling away and my windows began to crack. When I was informed an agent for the town's insurance company was on his way, I was ecstatic. "Good, my home will be saved."

(more on page 8)

The rules

The Times welcomes signed letters to the editor on subjects of interest to our readers. Short letters are most likely to be chosen for publication, but the use of any material is at the discretion of the editor. The editor reserves the right to edit letters to meet space requirements, for clarity or to avoid obscenity, libel or invasion of privacy. Upon request, names may be withheld, but only very rarely and for compelling reasons. Letters published do not necessarily reflect the editorial policies or beliefs of this newspaper. All letters must bear the handwritten signature of the writer and include the address and phone number for verification purposes.

Here's to your health!

Doctors and nurses are people who give you medicine until you die.

Deborah Martin

Whenever I face the prospect of going to a hospital, the gnarly, wizened visage of old Leroy Philpott flashes before my eyes.

Leroy (names have been changed to protect the guilty) was an ancient farmer who worked a hundred-acre spread across the road from where I grew up. He employed work horses in place of a tractor, heated his home by wood stove and never, ever went to the hospital.

"Don't hold with hospitals" old Leroy would growl. "Man could get hisself killed in there."

Leroy had a point. A recent study published in The Washington Post shows that about 140,000 Americans die each year from side effects of prescribed medication. "This" points out the newspaper is many times the estimated 10,000 who die annually from drugs like cocaine and heroin."

Sobering thought. I think a lot of us assume we are in the best of all possible hands the moment we surrender our ailing carcasses to the care of professionals. That's not always the case. A

recent review of medical records at several major hospitals (American, not Canadian records, I hasten to stress) — uncovered these gems actually written on patients' charts by certified health care professionals — including a doctor or two.

- Patient was alert and unresponsive.

- She is numb from her toes down. Got a 'plumbing' problem? You might want to consider prune juice before you commit yourself to the tender mercies of medical care:

- She stated that she had been constipated for most of her life until 1989 when she got a divorce.

- Rectal exam revealed a normal size thyroid.

- Bleeding started in the rectal area and continued all the way to Los Angeles.

- The patient was to have a bowel resection. However, he took a job as a stockbroker instead.

- Exam of genitalia was completely negative except for the right foot.

- Exam of the genitalia reveals that he is circus sized.

You also have to wonder just how much attention the experts are paying when you sign in:

- Both breasts are equal and reactive to light and accommodation.

- The patient lives at home with his mother, father and pet turtle who is presently enrolled in day care three times a week.

- Coming from Detroit, this man has no children.

Now, I know that these are the exceptions, not the rule. I am fully aware that most medical care is professional, competent and reliable.

Nevertheless.

Nevertheless, I cannot help but remember that good old Leroy Philpott, the man who forswore doctors, hospitals and all that modern medicine has to offer. Good old-fashioned, behind-the-times, out of it, not-in-step Leroy...

Died from complications from one of his thirteen cows kicking him in the head.

Leroy was 81 years old at the time of the kicking.

He never saw a doctor up to and including the Chief Hospital Admissions Officer who decorated him with a toe tag reading DOA.

An old curmudgeon/philosopher by the name of Ambrosia Birch once said:

Before undergoing any surgical operation arrange your temporal affairs. You may live.

Something tells me that Leroy and Ambrosia would have got along just fine.

Arthur Black Etcetera

Dismayed by response to damage claim

(from page 7)

I've heard rumours that city people have no manners, but I believe people are people, good, bad most times in between. Manners, I assumed were taught and the more you practiced the more automatic they became. That day, July 13, a group of very large men came to my home, no handshaking, how do you do's, no hello Madam I represent... not a single business card was offered, not a name nor were any questions asked. None, not a one.

The crack to my blocks is in the basement. Basements, I believe are usually underground. Underground I have found is usually dark, especially behind the furnace. The unnamed men must have brought their x-ray vision as not a one of these large persons had a flashlight. I co-operated and provided a spotlight. The gentlemen (I use the word loosely) left in the same manner as they came, without a thank you or Madam we'll be in touch.

I waited... I waited longer and the damage

continued. I filled another claim report. I requested the name and address of the insurance company my claim would go to. Perhaps the powers that be knew the names of the persons who had come to my home, or perhaps they had heard of my crumbling wall. This information was not provided, I was told no. "I don't feel comfortable telling you the name of the company. Wait, someone will call." Comfortable. It's an odd word, one seemingly totally dependant on place and time. Is it comfortable to sit and do nothing while your home shakes, vibrates and cracks all around while waiting for a person or persons with yet unnamed faces to call or write? How do they even know who I am? They didn't ask my name. They didn't ask anything.

(Finally a "letter".

Resident

Dear Sir: Frost damage in July cracked your foundation. The spiders told me so. The yet unidentified men.)

Environment Canada has yet to confirm the report of frost in July, but Mindenites

beware! Check you insurance policy to make sure you are covered for summer frost damage.

There seems to be a lot of frost heave going around.

Dr. Yvonne Fulton-Bell,
Minden

Rotary winner

President of the Minden Rotary Club, Ethel Muli, presents a cheque for \$1000 to Jim Joseph of Mississauga. Joseph, a Lake Kashagawigamog cottage owner, was the grand prize winner and coincidentally is a member of the Mississauga Credit Valley Rotary Club.



AMENDMENT TO TENDER

The Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit gives notice that tender documents for the provision of computer equipment and software supplied to prospective suppliers between August 7 and August 13, 1998 were complete. **Tender dates have been changed as follows:**

Complete tender documents are available from any HKPRD Health Unit office until 4:30 p.m., September 4, 1998. Closing date for receipt of tenders is 12 noon, September 11, at the Port Hope office, addressed to the attention of the Director of Administration Services.

Tenders will be opened 10:00 a.m., September 14 at the Port Hope office.

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All information obtained through the solicitation of tenders will be governed by the provisions of the Municipal Freedom of Information & Protection of Privacy Act, 1990, as amended.

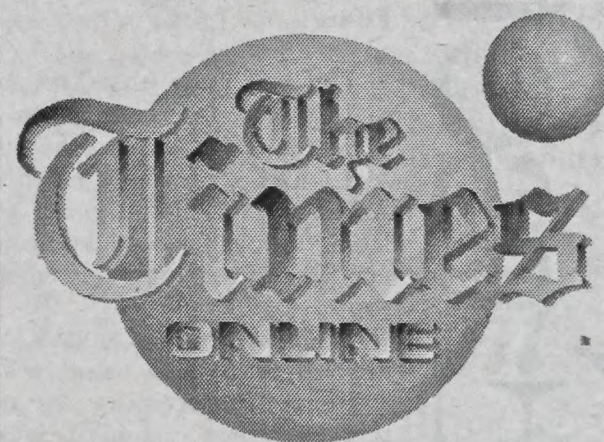
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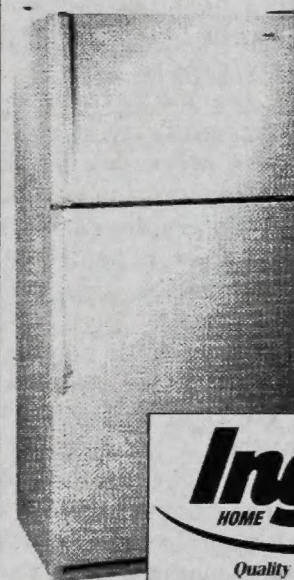
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POPULAR SPORT: Beach volleyball proved to be a popular sport at the Stanhope Sports Fest Day, with about 25 competitors. About 500 people participated in the day's activities, which included a ball tournament, tennis, horseshoes and beach volleyball competitions. The event raised about \$1,600 to improve the sports facilities.

Gun owners' meeting set for August 23 at Lindsay

Area firearms owners haven't given up on their fight to derail the federal government's implementation of Bill C-68, known as the gun control bill. The Responsible Firearms Owners of Ontario has organized an information meeting for Sunday, August 23 at the Ops Community Centre two kilometres east of Lindsay on Highway 7.

Victoria-Haliburton MPP Chris Hodgson will be one of the speakers. He is expected to outline Ontario's position on the legislation. Ontario has joined with other provinces and territories which oppose the legislation. Hodgson will also answer questions regarding the issue at the event.

Dr. Jules Sobrian is the president of the Responsible Firearms Owners of Ontario and his wife, Fran is the organization's secretary. Fran Sobrian said that most people don't know the implications of the new legislation, which is scheduled to come into effect in October of this year. The purpose of the rally at the Ops Community Centre is to inform firearms owners and other interested parties of the intrusive nature of the legislation, Sobrian said. Attendees will also be informed about the new Firearms Possession Certificate, which will replace the Firearms Acquisition Certificate which is currently in use.

"We want people to resist registering their firearms as long as possible," she said. "Most people don't realize that guns save about 62,000 people from bodily harm each year in Canada," she said.

Pat Dunn, retired Ontario Provincial Police officer and the Reform Party candidate in the last federal election, is also expected to speak.

The group plans to have bumper stickers that say "Guns Save Lives."

A big rally, called Fed Up 2, is

planned for Parliament Hill in Ottawa on September 22 to protest Bill C-68. RFO will be taking reservations for buses bound for the Ottawa rally at the Lindsay meeting. Buses will be departing from Lansdowne Street and Television Road in Peterborough at 6 a.m. on September 22.

The Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association has also chartered two coaches to the Ottawa rally. The buses will leave the Dysart Community Centre parking lot at 7 a.m. on the day of the Ottawa rally. Tickets will be available from HHOA directors or at Bruce's Barber Shop in Haliburton.

For information regarding the Lindsay event, contact Fran Sobrian in Omeme at 705-799-5230.

It's not too late to register for Stanhope Triathlon

Late registrations for the second annual Stanhope Triathlon will be accepted until 7:30 the morning of the event, which will be August 22. For information, contact Lois Foster at 705-454-8682 or Carrie Martin at 905-569-2119.

Foster said volunteers to help with the event would be appreciated. New sponsors would also be welcome.

The triathlon will be held on the same weekend next year, Foster said.



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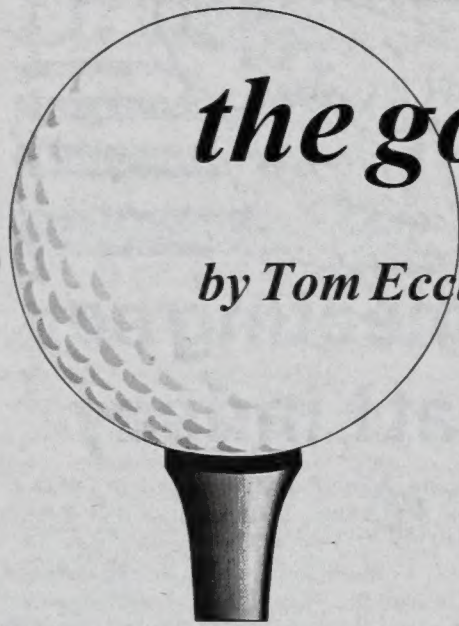
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the golf page

by Tom Ecclestone



It has been said that a golf course requires time, usually a few years, before it develops its own character; its own distinctive qualities. This may not necessarily be the case when Blairhampton Golf Club introduces its additional nine holes less than a year from now. Since early spring, golf course builder Glen Campbell and a crew of as many as six men, along with two excavators, two bulldozers and countless dump trucks have worked 12-hour days, seven days a week, to build nine great golf holes. With less

than a month before the seeding program begins, their achievements are quite evident. Haliburton County is going to have another remarkable 18 hole layout.

Shortly after purchasing Blairhampton Golf Club in 1987, Doug and Sandy Prozak put the wheels in motion to create a full service golf facility. A new clubhouse was constructed and that was soon followed by a first class driving range.

Over the years conditions at the golf course improved substantially and it is currently rated one of the finest nine hole layouts in Central Ontario. The Prozaks, along with Campbell and noted golf course architect John Robinson, have transformed 80 acres of bush and swamp into nine very challenging, but fair golf holes which will be integrated with the original nine. The opening five holes will remain as they are, with the exception of #1, which will have its tee moved forward and will become a par 4. The existing tee will be reworked into a new practice green. After the fifth, players will remain on the lower level and proceed to the new sixth hole. From the back tees, #6 is a powerful uphill, dogleg left par 4 measuring 420 yards. For the most part, the new nine, just as the existing nine, will have generous fairways with

level lies. For the seventh hole, a short iron will be the club of choice to this downhill par three. The tee blocks vary from 100 to 145 yards and the hour glass shaped green is protected by a large bunker on the left side.

Number 8 is the first of three new par 5s, all measuring over 500 yards from the tips. This hole covers 530 yards, moves right to left and is protected by water on the left. Very few second shots will find the green from the championship tees.

And what will likely become the signature hole of the golf course, the ninth, could also dash any hopes of a career round. Although measuring only 365 yards, the smart player will avoid the huge water hazard on the left by fading a long iron to a spacious landing area on the right. You'll still have some work to do with a short to mid iron to a large green that slopes toward the hazard. The existing sixth hole becomes the 10th.

Players will then move into the heart of the new nine with the short par 4 eleventh, again a slight dogleg left measuring 350 yards.

Then the fun begins with two spectacular back to back par fives. If you have selected the back tees for your round, the 12th may be your only chance to reach one of the new par fives in two. That can be pretty well ruled out on the 13th. Although the tee is elevated and your drive will carry for some distance, the rest of the journey is uphill to a green protected by bunkers and a beautiful natural rock outcropping to the right side.

A right to left drive on the 14th hole will set up a good birdie chance on this 390 yard par four. It's suggested you do well on this hole because you're going to need a good frame of mind before tackling the 15th. This will likely be one of the toughest par 3's you will ever encounter. From the elevated back tee, your shot will have to carry nearly 200 yards over a water hazard that stretches nearly one hundred yards right down the middle of the fairway.

The 16th hole is a revamping of the original 7th. New tee blocks and a rather narrow fairway have turned this hole into a legitimate par 4, measuring just over 300 yards. Still, it's an easy birdie with a well positioned tee shot.

The current 8th and 9th holes will become the finishing 17th and 18th holes.

Doug Prozak is 'hopeful' the new nine will be ready for play next July. Other changes to the original nine, which include traps and new tees, will be another year or two down the road. He is anticipating play will increase by up to 50 per cent and, as a result, immediate changes will be made to the clubhouse, specifically the lounge and kitchen.

A fleet of 50 new power carts have been ordered for next season and Prozak figures he will double his existing equipment. And naturally more staff will be hired in order to handle the increase in traffic as well as the day to day maintenance of the golf course.

Together with Pinestone Resort, Blairhampton Golf Club's new 18 hole layout is certainly going to put our region on the map as a definite golf destination.



SIGNATURE HOLE?: When it is completed, the new ninth hole at Blairhampton will be the club's signature hole. It may only be 365 yards, compared to some 500-plus par fives, but it features a huge water hazard on the left. Golfers would be advised to avoid the hazard by crowding to the right with the tee shot. On the bright side, the green will be large enough to provide a good target.

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Amalgamation still under study

The amalgamation of Galway Township with Haliburton County has been resurrected by a committee looking into redrawing the lines of the municipality. The New Galway Committee, sanctioned by the council of Galway, Cavendish and Harvey, is working on a plan that would see sections of Galway and Cavendish align with Haliburton County.

Peter Charters is a member of the New Galway Committee. The committee of five is looking at the costs and implications of leaving Peterborough County and joining Haliburton. The Townships of Galway and Cavendish were amalgamated with Harvey Township by the provincial government in 1997, despite protests from residents in Galway who wanted to join with Haliburton County.

"We set up terms of reference and council agreed to them," said Charters. The committee includes Charters, Councillor Guy Scott, Galway, Cavendish and Harvey Reeve and Peterborough County Warden Tom Flynn, Madeleine Pearson and Marilyn Weitzel. The group is focusing on an area which it calls New Galway. It includes the northern section of Galway and Cavendish Townships south to the top of Catchacoma Lake. It basically covers the areas included in these townships with 488 and 447 telephone exchanges, including White, Fortescue and Salmon Lakes, although the boundaries are still rough at this point.

Charters feels that it makes sense to merge with Haliburton County. He says that the New Galway area is aligned with the county on many levels. "We have many close ties to Haliburton County," said Charters. He cited the fact that residents of this area use medical facilities, services and other agencies in Haliburton County as opposed to Peterborough. Charters feels that residents do not get adequate services for their tax dollars from Peterborough County. He also noted that Peterborough was long distance where Haliburton and Minden are not. "Everything makes sense to leave," said Charters. "We've been working at it because we want to do this right. The committee is studying all of the aspects."

With a project such as this, there are many aspects to cover. Charters has been in contact with the neighbouring townships of Somerville in Victoria County and Snowdon Township to look at the various tax assessments and general municipal costs to attempt to create a picture of what the new township such as New Galway might face. "Everyone has been very supportive," said Charters.

The New Galway Committee has been active in gathering local opinions by attending cottager's association and taxpayer's meetings. There will also be a delegation at the next Haliburton County Council meeting.



County of Haliburton PUBLIC NOTICE

Please take notice that the Council of the County of Haliburton has enacted a by-law, By-Law #2263, to provide property tax rebates to eligible charities in certain situations.

Tax rebates are available to registered charities occupying property zoned industrial or commercial, if the charity is responsible for the taxes.

Application forms and copies of the by-law may be obtained at the County Office or any one of the Township Municipal Offices. Applications must be submitted to Township Municipal Offices on or before September 30, 1998.

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Bowl-A-Thon raises more than \$8,000 for Hospital Foundation

Organizers were bowled over when they realized that their Charity Bowl-a-Thon managed to raise over \$8,000 for the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation.

Ross and Betty Henderson and Doug and Lorna Burtch handed over a cheque for \$7,600 to managing director of HHHSF, Diane Springstein. There are still \$1,500 in pledges to come. "It's been terrific," said Doug Burtch. "It's been a real team effort."

The bowl-a-thon was held at Carnarvon Lanes on August 8. The organizers said that the event could not have been possible without the help of Carnarvon Lanes owners, Greg and Spira Nitsos. "Their support has been phenomenal," said Ross Henderson. Several sponsors contributed to the Bowl-a-Thon including PineStone Resort, Haliburton Highlands Golf Club, Haliburton Home Hardware, Emmerson Lumber, Glen Sharpley Sports, McKeck's Place, Robert Burtch Sales, Nancy Burtch, Lakeside

Golf Club, Blairhampton Golf Club, Village Donuts, Andy Glecoff, Games Quest, Subway and Pharmx Rexall.

One of the more generous contributions came from the Boshkung Lake Cottagers Association which donated \$1,000, with a promise of \$1,000 more in the future. Participants Ian Comrie and

Marcel Rouselle also worked very hard on this project.

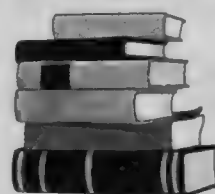
Diane Springstein was extremely pleased with the efforts of the Hendersons and the Burtchs. "They've just been tremendous," she said.

Almost 50 bowlers participated in the event by gathering sponsors and bowling three games.

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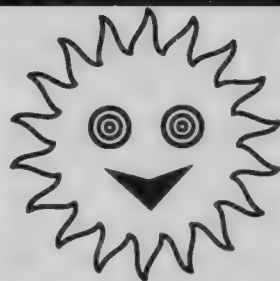
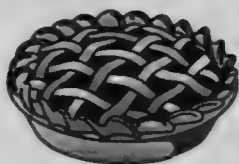
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Boshkung Lake Regatta

The annual Boshkung Lake Regatta was held on Saturday, August 1 at the Matabanic Inn. We would again, like to thank Cliff Archer for the use of his beach and facilities, as well as all of the merchants of the area who graciously donated prizes for our lucky draws. A special thanks to all the volunteers who helped run the regatta. It was evident our record-breaking crowd had lots of fun due to your effort.

The results of the regatta are as follows (names appear in order of final results):

Girls

4 years and under Pick-up Sticks: Patricia Hone, Abbey McRae, Brittany Nagy, Whitney Hughes and Darcy Dykeman.

4 years and under Ball Toss: Jennifer Brown, Darcy Dykeman, Laura Jones, Abbey McRae.

4 years and under Boat Race: Patricia Hone, Abbey McRae, Brittany Nagy and Jennifer Brown.

5 to 7 years 10 Yard Swim: Stephanie Green, Danielle Waugh and Vicky McLaughlin.

5 to 7 years Ball Toss: Taryn Smith, Alyssa Giddings, and Julia Sugden

5 to 7 Years Underwater Swim: Stephanie Green, Alyssa Giddings, Sarah Blyth and Danielle Waugh.

8 to 11 years Frisbee Throw: Alex Pawson, Danielle Guilbault, and Leah Schlotter

8 to 11 years Ball Toss: Leah Schlotter, Stephanie Dies, and K.C. Williams.

8 to 11 years 25 Yard Swim: Alex Pawson, Danielle Guilbault, Alex McRae and Leah Schlotter.

8 to 11 years Waterskiing: Alex McRae, Alex Pawson and Leah Schlotter. Honourable mention to Britany Hicks and Alex Whyte.

12 to 15 years 25 Yard Swim: Sam MacDonald, Shawna Ray and Alex Pawson.

15 years and under Wakeboarding: Stephanie Pimck and Fiona Charlebois.

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4 years and under Boat Race: Ian Redcay, Craig Anderson and Christopher Waugh.

5 to 7 years 10 Yard Swim: Cameron Cherry, Brett Hicks and Jordan Guilbault.

5 to 7 years Ball Toss: Evan Blyth, Mark St. John and Joshua McGill.

5 to 7 years Underwater Swim: Jordan Guilbault, Harrison Bontje, Kevin Bison, Jordan Hughes and Jon Pawson.

7 Years and Under Waterskiing: Jon Pawson, Brett Hicks and Cameron Cherry.

8 to 11 years Frisbee Throw: Matt Stainsby, Cole Lythgoe and Todd Keys.

8 to 11 years 25 Yard Swim: Todd Keys, Chris Welsh, Gavin Hicks and Cayle St. John.

8 to 11 Ball Toss: Brock McGill, Clayton Cherry and Joshua Hone.

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12 to 15 years 25 Yard Swim: Elliot Guilbault, Joel Rogers and Austin Dies.

12 to 15 years Waterskiing: Nicholas Schlotter, Elliot Guilbault and Luke Woods.

12 years and under Wakeboarding: Ryan McNamee, Sam Davis and Luke Woods.

15 and under Wakeboarding: Luke Jensen, Ben Davis and James Copley.

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12 years and under Tube Relay - First, Laura Ramsey, Craig Barclay, Cameron Cherry and Clayton Cherry. Second, Erin Barclay, Stephanie Green, Haley Smith and Jillian Smith. Third Brittany Hicks, Todd Keys, Kayla Lythgoe and Kristin Lythgoe.

12 to 20 years Tube Relay - First, Sam MacDonald, Alex McRae, Alicia Meyer, and Alex Pawson. Second, Joel Rogers, Kent Smith, others did not report.

All ages Water Balloon Toss - First, Amy Ball and Charlotte Fleming. Second, Carroll Spence and Marvan Turner. Third Holly Archer and Garwood Thomas.

Forum welcomes youths

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Kushog meeting hears little good news for the lakefront**Property owners get assessment update**

A majority of property owners in Stanhope Township can expect to see a decrease in their assessments according to municipal councillor Jim Hicks. The member of council was addressing the annual meeting of the Kushog Lake Property Owners Association in July. He told the gathering that as a result of introduction of Actual Value Assessment 1653 property owners in the township can expect to see a decrease in their assessment while 1376 will see an increase.

The assessment is a valuation place on a property reflecting the price the property would receive if sold on the open market in 1996. The municipality used this new assessed value when determining the amount of taxes for which each property owner is responsible. All property in the province has been reassessed to reflect the 1996 value, providing what many describe as a fairer way of assigning tax liability across a municipality. The councillor told the meeting that the increase in assessed values will likely occur on lakefront property, while the decreases will likely be for properties away from the water.

The Stanhope tax rates were recently set and the tax bills have been sent out. Earlier the property owners had received assessment notices. Hicks advised those who felt the assessment was too high to appeal.

Reeve Eleanor Harrison was also in attendance, though suffering from laryngitis. Responding to a questioner, the reeve said Buckslide Road, on the east side of the southern portion of Kushog Lake, may not receive a paved surface this year as expected. She noted the council is struggling to keep costs under control and has created what she described as a "maintenance road budget". She said that any paving will only be considered when a reserve fund has been established and built up to cover the costs. "It may involve an increase in taxes," she told the meeting.

The reeve noted that ten years ago the township had expected the county to take over Buckslide Road, and so maintenance was cut back. The county however, did not take over the road and so the township is now responsible for the extensive repairs. "We have to get it back up to standards."

The council representatives were asked if the township was planning to hold a toxic waste collection day. Reeve Harrison commented that the expense of such an undertaking meant that it could only be planned on a county-wide basis.

Jim Hicks had earlier thanked the members for their efforts at recycling. He noted that the amount of recycled material collected at Stanhope dumps had increased from 66 tonnes in 1995 to 118 tonnes in 1997. The increase in recycling has extended the life of the township's dumps and delayed the closure of some, an expensive proposition.

Association President Norma Goodger thanked the two council representatives. "Thank you for looking after us so well, she told the reeve and councillor.

tions about how to deal with noisy neighbours. Hicks pointed out that the municipality had a noise by-law but that it was written in technical language and would likely be difficult to enforce. However, he said if property owners were prepared to testify as the case made its way through the courts, the municipality would be willing to initiate charges against anyone making excessive noise.

Some property owners told the meeting that while they love their Kushog Lake cottage, inconsiderate neighbours

and late night, drunken parties have made them want to sell and leave the area. The property owners said they have attempted to reason with the neighbours and have called the OPP but have not obtained any satisfaction.

Another property owner told of an all night outdoor party which occurred at one of the commercial resorts on the lake. The party included amplified music, fireworks, reckless boating, shouting, swearing and a giant bonfire. The gathering went on all night. He said the owner of the establishment attempted

to bring the unruly gathering under control but was ignored by those causing the ruckus. He is reported to have called the OPP, but was told there was nothing the police could do.

Constable Davis said the police are concerned when the rights of individuals are violated by others or when there are infractions such as boating under the influence of alcohol. However, without commenting on the specific situation described at the meeting, he said the police respond to the calls
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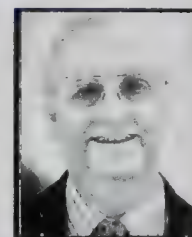
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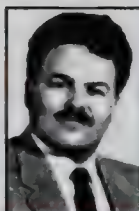
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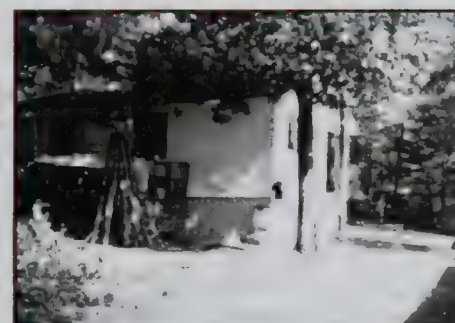
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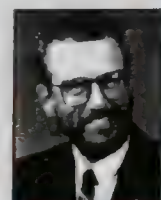
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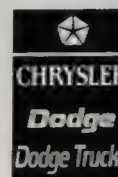


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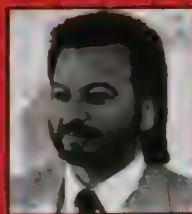
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by Sally Moore

The Annual Loonie Extravaganza takes place each year on the Thursday before August 23. This year the third annual extravaganza is scheduled for August 20 at the Sunny Rock Lodge Bed and Breakfast.

Everyone is invited to attend this outrageously funny fund raising event. Participants are asked to make a donation upon arriving. Last year the Tim Heming Bursary Fund and the Women's Emergency House benefited from the event. This year the proceeds will be split between the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation and a yet to be announced charity.

Those in attendance can watch or play. The 25 or 30 different activities are non-threatening carnival or midway like games, set up all over the Sunny Rock Lodge Bed and Breakfast property.

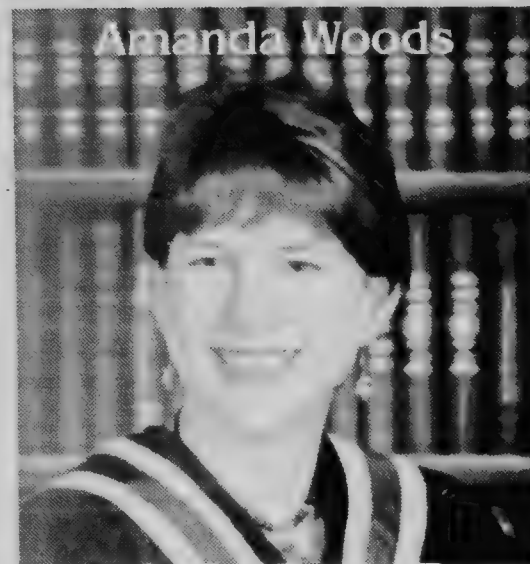
The object of the evening will be to play the games and obtain as many numbered tickets as

possible during two hours. In the second part of the evening, tickets are drawn for prizes. There are interesting twists to the final draws that will be explained before they take place.

In return for their support, participants are guaranteed a lot of fun, laughter, some terrific and not so terrific prizes, finger munchies and something to talk about for years to come.

Members of the community are asked to consider making donations to the prize table. Everyone has a cupboard at home that stores the "like new, still in the box stuff" that would be perfect as a prize for the evening. Anyone interested is asked to call Sunny Rock Lodge. Prizes in the past have included crystal glasses, picture frames, coolers, golf paraphernalia, vases, games etc.

Anyone interested in being a part of the Loonie Extravaganza is asked to call Sunny Rock Lodge Bed and Breakfast before August 20. The event begins at 6:30 and will last until around 10:30 p.m.



Amanda Woods, daughter of Tim and Rickie Woods, recently graduated from Sir Sandford Fleming College, Peterborough with diplomas in International Trade and Marketing. She is currently employed by Hiram Walker Distillers in Windsor Ontario.

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Maple and Beech Lake Property Owners Association

Smoke detectors are mandatory lake association meeting told

Smoke detectors are now mandatory in all dwelling units, the members of the Maple and Beech Lake Property Owners Association were told by Stanhope Fire Chief John Hogg at the group's annual meeting Saturday, August 8. The meeting, which attracted about 30 members, was held in the evening at the Stanhope Firefighters Hall.

Hogg was there with the township's former fire chief Bob Pollard to explain some of the changes which have occurred over the past few years to protect property owners. According to the representatives, the requirement for a working smoke detector in each dwelling unit just became mandatory. Anyone without a working smoke detector in his dwelling could be fined up \$200. He noted that the fine will apply if the smoke detector is found to be non-operational, such as when the battery has run down or been removed. Hogg suggested that the property owners consider installing a smoke detector that plugs into the electrical system or one with a built in ten year battery.

While not mandatory, Hogg also recommended that property owners also consider purchasing a carbon monoxide detector. This colourless, odourless gas, which can be generated by any point of combustion, has been responsible for the deaths of a number of citizens across the province. In addition to the traditional sources, such as an idling car in an attached garage, carbon monoxide can also be generated by malfunctioning wood burning stoves or propane or oil fired appliances such as refrigerators, stoves and water heaters. In response to a question, he said because of the nature of the gas, there is no particular preferred height in a room for locating a carbon dioxide detector.

Former Chief Bob Pollard told the meeting that the township embarked on a civic addressing program several years ago. Working with the (former) Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Council and Sir Sandford Fleming College in Lindsay, a map of all township roads is now going through its final revisions. Once it is completed, he told the meeting, that the process of assigning road names and numbers to each property in the township will begin. This process would normally precede the introduction of 911 emergency phone service. However, since the implementation of

the 911 service would have to be carried out county-wide and other areas have yet to begin this process, it may be a long time before the emergency phone number can be introduced here.

In the meantime, Pollard advised the property owners to continue using the existing numbering system and tell the township office of designated road names, to ensure there are no duplications.

Meeting times

Vice President Barry Schroeder, who was filling in for president Brian Tink sought direction from the members on when they felt the annual general meetings should be held. He offered a number of suggestions, including moving it to the morning or holding it on a holiday weekend. He said he was a little dismayed that the meeting only attracted 30 members. While no suggestions were offered regarding the meetings, the members agreed to be more active in encouraging their neighbours to attend and alerting the executive to new property owners on the lakes, so they could be offered memberships.

The current executive was returned for another term. The officers will include president Brian Tink, vice president Barry Schroeder, secretary Cecilia Bousfeld, treasurer May Maxwell and social director Kay Hall. The meeting was told that there will likely be an opening on the executive this year and invited any volunteers who wish to join the group to make themselves known. The executive meets for several hours, three or four times a year.

Other matters

Nancy Westcott reported that findings over the past year have shown that the lakes enjoy good clarity, judged by the Sechi Disc test, and have a moderately enriched phosphorus level.

Kerry Masters, representing the annual Stanhope Triathlon, advised the members that the races will be held again this year on September 22. She asked for the co-operation of motorists on North Shore Road to keep an eye out for the athletes competing in the cycling portion of the event. She also invited members to volunteer with the event or participate. The triathlon, which includes a foot race, swim and cycle portion, is open to anyone inter-

ested in taking part and has been divided into various age levels.

Finally one member of the organization asked if it would be possible to keep the dump gates open later in the evening to allow residents to watch the bears. The questioner even suggested that admission could be charged to cover the cost of having the attendant remain on the site.

It was suggested, however, that the township would probably not want to encourage increased contact between the residents and bears and would likely not respond to the request in a positive way.

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The next phase of the process involves inviting the public to comment on the applicants who have bid for the beds. If you or your group wish to comment on one or more of the applicants, this may be done at a public meeting or through a written submission. You must pre-register 48 hours prior to the meeting. Details regarding this meeting and/or mailing address for written submissions can be found below.

For more information on this initiative and/or to receive a list of the applicants bidding for these beds, please call the number listed below.

Haliburton, Northumberland and Victoria Counties Public Meeting

Wednesday, August 26, 1998

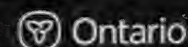
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TSW report

Modest rains helped during the week to keep Haliburton lakes from declining on average. The 35 lakes averaged 63.6 per cent on August 10, compared to 63.9 per cent on August 4. This left them about seven per cent below normal for the time of year.

The Kawarthas now

contain a small surplus, which will be reduced with a slight flow increase on the Otonabee. Flow from the reserve lakes is being reduced to near minimum as well so those lakes benefit from the extra water.

Lake Simcoe-Couchiching also received a considerable

rainfall input so that it went above rule curve again. This allowed a small increase to the outflow. It is now slightly more than the normal for August.

This report was prepared by Trent-Severn Waterway staff on August 11, 1998



Hospital Boosters

LEFT: Ross and Lois Rigney present a cheque for \$4350 to Joanne Camelon, treasurer of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation. The money represents the proceeds generated at the Bobby Curtola Dance Party August 1. The Rigneys, who are personal friends of Curtola, organized the sixties rock night for the benefit of the local health services. Camelon expressed the appreciation of the Foundation for the hard work the Canning Lake couple had put into the project.

BELOW: Members of the Minden Home and Garden Tour present Health Services Foundation representatives with a Robert Bateman limited edition print, which will be part of the Foundation's Mid-Summer Raffle. The artist donated the print to the Home and Garden Tour and the group in turn has given the print to the Foundation. The print is the second prize in the raffle to be held August 29 at the Summer Hospital Gala at PineStone Resort. Other prizes in the draw include a diamond necklace, valued at \$1000, donated by Bill and Sandy Valentine and entertainment packages donated by PineStone Resort, Wigamog Resort and Bonnie View Inn. Tickets for the Summer Hospital Gala are still available at \$100 each, (which includes a \$55 donation to the Foundation). Inquire at the Foundation office in Haliburton, the health services board office in Minden or at PineStone Resort



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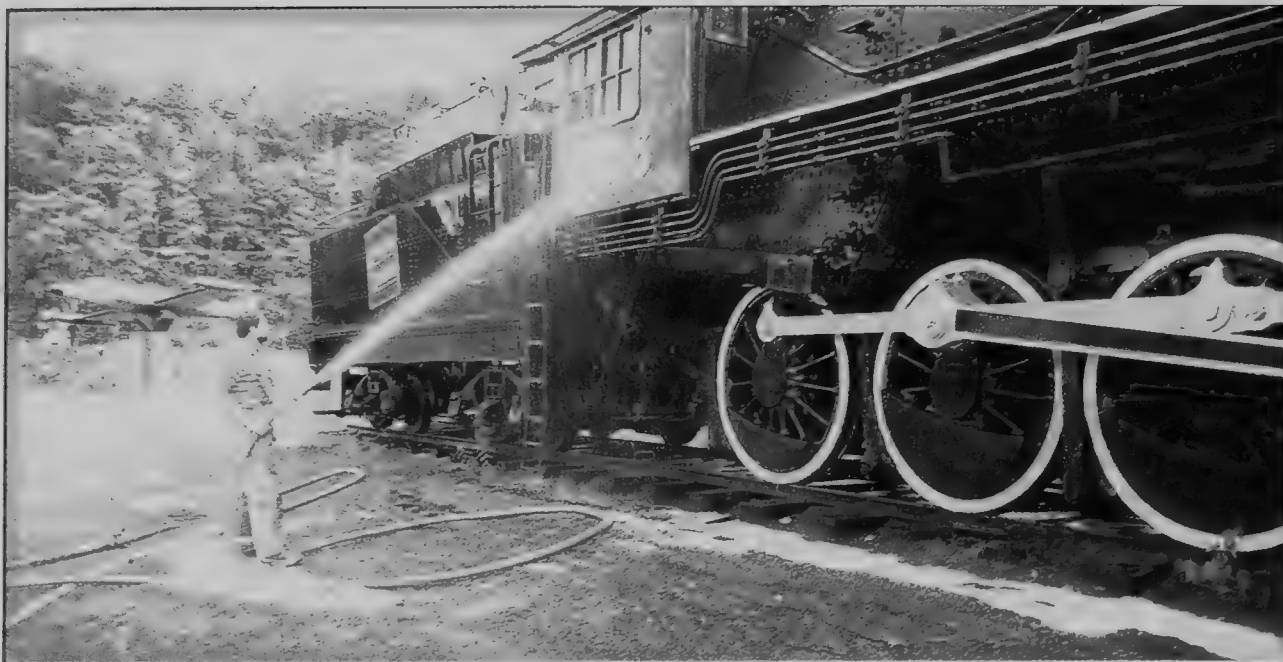
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The reforms are working — rates are down, consumers have more information and the government continues to monitor and fine tune the system to make sure it's running well.

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ROAD ALLOWANCE CLOSURE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Snowdon proposes to pass at its Meeting scheduled for October 19th, 1998 at 7:30 p.m.:

A By-Law to close and convey part of the original shore road allowance being Part 1, Plan 19R- (TO BE REGISTERED), fronting upon Part Lot 3, Concession 13, in the Township of Snowdon in the County of Haliburton, being frontage upon South Lake.

All submissions by any affected person shall be considered by Council prior to the rendering of any decision.

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Queen prepares to give up crown

-- submitted --

The evenings are just a little shorter and the lake water just a touch cooler. A sure sign that fall is just around the corner and with that the most exciting fall event.

Kinmount Fair Queen for 1997/98 Miranda Newman is preparing to hand over her title and crown at the 1998 Kinmount Fair Queen Pageant, which will take place this year on Friday, September 4 at 2:00 p.m. in the Pioneer Tent Tea Garden.

Miranda has had a busy and exciting year attending other fall fairs, the International Plowing Match, Santa Claus Parades, a convention at the Royal York Hotel and assisting at fund raisers. The best is yet to come when she attends the 1998 CNE in August representing the Kinmount fair and competing with approximately one hundred other contestants for the prestigious title of CNE Ambassador. We certainly wish her well.

Miranda will be on hand for the Kinmount Fair Queen pageant in September to assist with the event. She tells us that this has been a great experience for her and feels that she has gained a lot of knowledge about fairs and just what it takes to make them successful. She encourages all young ladies over the age of 18 to take part in this year's pageant. They will enjoy an experience of recognition and the pride that comes from being able to represent your home town fair.

More information regarding the Kinmount Fair Queen Pageant can be had by calling Hazel at 488-3066.



Miranda Newman, the 1997 Kinmount Fall Fair Queen.



TOWNSHIP OF SOMERVILLE

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ROAD CLOSING AND SALE BY-LAW

TAKE NOTICE that the Corporation of the Township of Somerville proposes to pass a by-law to close part of the 66 foot road allowance, more particularly described in Schedule "A" hereto.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the Corporation of the Township of Somerville proposes by the aforesaid by-law to authorize the sale and conveyance of that part of the said original road allowance which is closed to the owner or owners of land abutting the same at a consideration to be determined by by-law of Council.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the proposed by-law will come before the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Somerville for consideration at its regular meeting to be held at the Township Municipal Office, P.O. Box 59, Kinmount, Ontario, K0M 2A0 (East side of Highway 121, 1 Kilometre south of Kinmount), at 7:30 p.m. on the 28th day of September 1998 and at that time Council will hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the by-law or who applies to be heard.

DATED: July 20, 1998

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The Corporation of the Township of Somerville

SCHEDULE "A"

That portion of a 66 foot unopened road allowance lying between the north half of Lot 6 and the north half of Lot 7, Concession 14, Township of Somerville, County of Victoria.



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE OF PASSING OF BY-LAW NO. 98-44

TAKE NOTICE, that the Council of The Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden passed By-law No. 98-44 on the 13th day of August, 1998 pursuant to Section 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13, as amended.

AND TAKE NOTICE, that only individuals, corporations or public bodies may appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board in respect of the By-law by filing with the Clerk, of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden, not later than the 6th day of September, 1998, a Notice of Appeal setting out the objection to the By-law and the reasons in support of the objection, accompanied with the fee prescribed under the Ontario Municipal Board Act. A Notice of Appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a Notice of Appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or group on its behalf.

Note: As the last day of appeal falls on a Sunday and the day following is a holiday, appeals may be filed on the day following, that is not a holiday.

THE PURPOSE of the amendment is to change the zoning category on approximately 6.07 hectares (15.01 acres) of land, located on Highway 35, at Part of Lot 10, Concession 9, Township of Minden, from Rural (RU) Zone to Rural Exception Thirty-seven (RU*37) Zone.

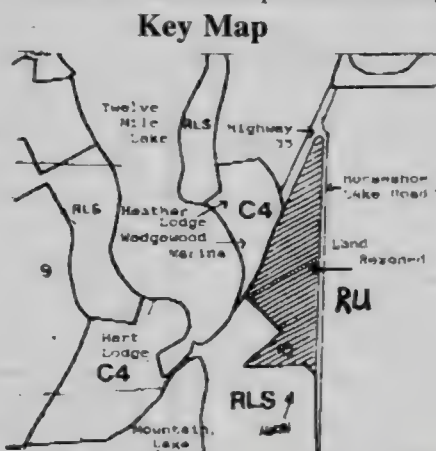
THE EFFECT of the zoning change is to permit the winterizing of boats on site.

THE LAND affected by the amendment is shown on the Key Map as the "Land Rezoned".

A copy of the complete By-law is available for review at the Municipal Office during regular office hours.

Mrs. Jo Ellen Ingram, A.M.C.T.
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August 17, 1998



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE OF PASSING OF BY-LAW NO. 98-43

TAKE NOTICE, that the Council of The Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden passed By-law No. 98-43 on the 13th day of August, 1998 pursuant to Section 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13, as amended.

AND TAKE NOTICE, that only individuals, corporations or public bodies may appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board in respect of the By-law by filing with the Clerk, of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden, not later than the 6th day of September, 1998, a Notice of Appeal setting out the objection to the By-law and the reasons in support of the objection, accompanied with the fee prescribed under the Ontario Municipal Board Act. A Notice of Appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a Notice of Appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or group on its behalf.

THE PURPOSE of the amendment considered amendments to Zoning By-law No. 86-26, as amended, for The Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden pursuant to the provisions of Section 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 c.P.13, as amended.

THE EFFECT of the zoning amendments involved the following topics:

- add provisions for uncovered decks, steps or patios whereby uncovered decks, steps or patios may project into the front yard setback, on a lot on a waterbody, a maximum distance of 3.0 metres from an existing structure but no closer than 15.0 metres from the high water mark, provided that in the case of uncovered decks, steps or patios, such uses are not more than 1.8 metres above finished grade.

- Repeal By-law No. 75, being a By-law to Regulate the Use of Land and the Character, Location, and the Use of Buildings and Structures, within Plan 172.

A copy of the complete By-law is available for review at the Municipal Office during regular office hours.

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The best chocolate cake in the world

Good day to everyone. Hope you are enjoying this wonderful summer we are having. It certainly has been a busy one. Lots of visitors to our area enjoying what it has to offer....fresh air, beautiful scenery, fun activities etc.

We are sure that this summer has been very beneficial to the businesses in the area. Visitors to our home have commented all season about how busy it is everywhere. Everyone, it seems, has lots to do so we really do appreciate those of you who come to our home for all kinds of activities and events. For instance, a week ago the Sarah group of the UCW Minden, hosted our tea party. Many thanks to all of you. We enjoyed our tea party immensely, the food was delicious. In fact, one of our residents was heard to report that it was the best chocolate cake she had ever tasted. Maybe a few of you out there may be interested in hunting up the recipe for it. Also at our tea party was Reverend John Burgess, helping out. So glad to have you back again John. We really missed you. Hope you continue to improve. In the afternoon, on the following day we participated in bingo.

The weekend was fairly quiet for most of us. However on Saturday afternoon a short trip was planned for those who have problems participating in most activities. This group enjoyed a visit to Kawartha Dairy where they tucked into their ice cream treats. Also on the weekend many of us were very happy to have Reverend John Burgess once again for pastoral visitations.

On Monday our monthly meeting of our residents' council took place. It was well attended. We learned of upcoming activities and also reviewed some past ones. Afterwards we enjoyed some ice cream. The following day, chapel took place in the morning and in the afternoon the craft group met where they were busy making articles for our bazaar that will take

place later on. That evening we were entertaining by "A Joyful Noise", a wonderful group of gospel singers from Wilberforce Full Gospel Church. The music was just great and thoroughly enjoyed by all. We thank you so much for coming and hope you can return sometime.

Wednesday, August 12 was a great day for quite a few of us. A full

Hyland Rover left here about 9:00 a.m. and headed to Bracebridge for a boat cruise on the Lady Muskoka. What a wonderful day we had. The weather was just perfect, a beautiful sunny day, not too hot or windy. The lunch served on board was absolutely delicious and the crew was so courteous. A very successful trip. Many, many thanks to our activity staff and volunteers who made this outing possible. We arrived back about 4:00 p.m., a tired but a very happy bunch.

Now we are back to Thursday again. The Minden Legion is scheduled to host our tea party today. This morning there are some great aromas coming from the kitchen in the auditorium. The baking group is there along with volunteer Pam. We investigated and discovered they were making blueberry-orange muffins and peanut butter cheesecake brownie bars. Sounds interesting doesn't it? Wonder if we can sneak a taste. Talking of food, our suppliers lately have included fresh vegetables from our own gardens. It has been great to eat our own veg!

Before we go we wish to send our happy birthday greetings to Muriel Harrison who will celebrate on August 23. Also we send our apologies to Walter and Vera Stevens for our error in last week's column. We reported that Walter and Vera Roberts enjoyed visits from three generations. Sorry Walter and Vera for this goof up. Talk about a mental block eh?

Anyway, that's it folks. Enjoy your days until we talk with you again next week.

Senior League by the Roving Reporters



County of Haliburton PUBLIC NOTICE

Please take notice that the Council of the County of Haliburton has enacted a by-law, By-Law #2231, to provide tax assistance to elderly and disabled property owners from tax increases resulting from the Province-wide reassessment.

Tax assistance is offered in the form of a deferral of the assessment-related tax increase that exceeds \$300.00, on homes valued at \$125,000.00 or less. Eligible property owners are persons receiving benefits under the Ontario Disability Support Program or the Family Benefits Act, or who are at least 65 years of age and receiving an increment under the Guaranteed Income Supplement of the Old Age Security Act.

Application forms and copies of the by-law may be obtained at the County Office or any one of the Township Municipal Offices. Applications must be submitted to Township Municipal Offices on or before September 30, 1998.

Leslie A. Shepherd, C.A.O.
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11 Newcastle Street
Minden, Ontario
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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH PUBLIC NOTICE

File # SR-33/97

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth, proposes to enact a by-law to stop up, close and convey to the abutting property owner a portion of the original allowance for road set out and described as follows:

FIRSTLY: ALL and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Lutterworth, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of part of the original sixty-six foot shore road allowance along the shore of Moore's Lake, lying in front of Part of Lot 24, Concession 5, and being more particularly described as Part 1 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Haliburton as Plan 19R-6501.

THE PROPOSED BY-LAW will come before the said Council for consideration at its Regular Meeting at the Municipal Office, located three miles south of Minden on Highway #35, on the 10th day of September, 1998, at the hour of 4:00 p.m. and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Lutterworth this 5th day of August, 1998.

Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer,
Township of Lutterworth,
P.O. Box 850,
Minden, Ontario
K0M 2K0

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH PUBLIC NOTICE

File # SR-34/97

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth, proposes to enact a by-law to stop up, close and convey to the abutting property owner a portion of the original allowance for road set out and described as follows:

FIRSTLY: ALL and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Lutterworth, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of part of the original sixty-six foot shore road allowance along the shore of Moore's Lake, lying in front of Part of Lot 24, Concession 5, and being more particularly described as Part 2 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Haliburton as Plan 19R-6501.

THE PROPOSED BY-LAW will come before the said Council for consideration at its Regular Meeting at the Municipal Office, located three miles south of Minden on Highway #35, on the 10th day of September, 1998, at the hour of 4:00 p.m. and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Lutterworth this 5th day of August, 1998.

Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.,
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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File No. RA-98-09)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of
the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon
and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the
adjoining landowner, portions of the original allow-
ance for road located at Part of Lot 3, Concession A,
(Lyons Street), in the Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to
Section 300(1) (a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O.
1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corpora-
tion of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden
proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to
pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Muni-
cipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden,
Ontario, on August 27, 1998 at the hour of 7:30 p.m.,
a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels
of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road located at
Part of Lot 3, Concession A, (Lyons Street) Town-
ship of Minden, designated as Part 2 on a Preliminary
Plan of Survey, prepared by Harry Curry Bishop
Limited and dated June 15, 1998.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the
Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regu-
lar office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before
passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at
the time and place above-mentioned, the Council
shall then and there hear in person, or by his or her
counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims
that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by
the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden this
21st day of July, 1998

Tammy McKelvey, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer
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Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0

Around the County Town

by Nora Snyder (call 286-4425)

I feel the summer waning. Do you?

There is a feeling of slowing down, but also a feeling of catching the last of the hot sunshine to keep us going for the rest of the year. The birds are gathering.

In my backyard I have seen and heard two birds which are new to me. Looking up in my very limited bird book, they appear to be either a Green Heron or a Glossy Ibis. Either one is not native to here, especially the Ibis, but there they are, sitting on the top branches of one of my trees. Their sound is one I have never heard: one loud note. Their colouring is browns and some red on the back of the head and a long neck like a Heron, most visible in flight. Anyone have any idea of the identification of this pair?

The column this week is back to a shorter length. Not as many news items phoned in. I am finding this column goes this way; one week there is an explosion of news and the next week is much quieter. Probably that is a good metaphor for life. Ebb and flow. Yin and Yang. Winter and summer...spring and fall.

This is my monthly reminder to drop non-perishable food items into the Food Bank Boxes at the Valu-mart and the IGA. Also if you are cleaning out closets, those clothes no one can wear anymore can be dropped off at the Clothing Depot in the Valu-mart Mall. There is a convenient box outside the entrance to receive your donations.

Another reminder of the Used Book, Games and Jigsaw Puzzles Sale on August 22 between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. at the Minden County Town Museum. The funds raised will be going to the Literacy Program. Don't forget to sign the anniversary card being sent to the library on the occasion of its existence in our county for 100 years!!

The second fun day of Minden's Indoor Lawn Bowling Club brought the season to a close on August 7. Three games were played, two in the afternoon and one in the evening after an enjoyable barbecue. Three players won lucky draws: Muriel Harrington, Renata Grober and Lew Tompkins. Door prizes were won by Ralph Newton, Eleanor Young and Lee Oster. Lucky winners of the Spider Web game were Doris Ogley and Chris Dollo. The Club has truly appreciated having the Curling Club in which to bowl and they are looking forward to 1999 with great anticipation.

St Paul's Friendship Club was a great place to be last Monday. Verna McDonald won lone hands. High man and woman were Pearl Cowen and Dorothy McElwain. Low score was taken by Bill Mosley. Marie Dennie was lucky enough to win the 50/50 draw. Keep up that friendship!!

Bid Euchre played at Club 35 last August 7 saw some great scores. First among the women was Pat Hannah with 291; second Grace Smyth, 278; and third Vicki Campagnolo, 259. Number one "man" was Betty Harper with 246; second "man", Mary Pearson, 241; and Alf Whyman, the only "real" man with 238!! Hidden score was held by Marg Nakechuk. There were no moonshots in the whole night!!

Earl Hewitt got a call from his niece, Caroline Maher, who lives in Nairobi. She called after the terrible bomb disaster to let her family know, including her cousin Illa Cooper, that all was well with her family.

August 6 was Euchre day at the Minden Legion. Most lone hands were won by Marg McAfee and Wayne Farr. High scores, won by Gala Stamp and M. Minigon. Low scores were taken by Pat Roussel and Jim Irwin. Other prizes were won by Claire Brooke, Helen Dennie, Marcel Roussel and Al Cooper.

Seniors' Bid Euchre played at the Legion on August 11 saw the following high scores: Ruth Kelleit, Pat Roussel and Grace Dixon. The hidden score was found by Bess Cox. Three moonshots were won, two of them by newcomers Marcel Lamothe and Wayne Farr and "oldtimer", Helen Dennie. Maybe the first day brings good luck to the player no matter which game is being played!!

It is my pleasure to announce that there were THIRTEEN tables of bridge at Stanhope last Tuesday!!! The Club is growing in leaps and bounds!! I wonder if reading about the good folks and the fun they have in this column has anything to do with the numbers? With that number of people, there was only one small slam bid and made by Mary and Alex Stevenson. Those two still have a lot to teach us about bridge and life!! The winners of the day were: fourth, Helen Rice, 5410; third,

Dorothy McIntyre, 5520; second Marcel Hone, 5950; the winner Earl Hayne, who is on a roll, with 6240.

The Stanhope Bid Euchre Club introduced a new scoring system at the beginning of the summer. They now just have the top scores regardless of the gender of the player. Great idea!! So these are the winners for this week, from lowest of the highs to the highest: Maisie McCrone, 239; Helen Lee, 265; Marion Irwin, 269; Olive Jones, 275; Gala Stamp, 283; June Branning, 292; the top score, Don Burch, 304. Four moonshots were won.

Club 35 had the following winners on the evening of August 10. Jean Randell won the 50/50 draw and Milton Fletcher won lone hands. The highs were Marion Irwin and Denis Walsh. The lows were Anne Walsh and Maisie McCrone. Margaret Fletcher took baloney. Again with the secret special awards "won" by Anne Walsh and Peter Smithwick.

Duplicate Bridge at Echo Hills on August 6 had, in the north/south position: Earl Hayne and Evelyn Wolf in first; Stella McMillan and Ross Davies, second; Wynne and Morris Hansen in third. East/west: Fran and Norm Smith were first; Vange Croucher and Maria Lehoczy, second; and Betty Roszell and Dorothy Strype, third. This group experienced an increase in number of

tables also. There were ten tables of players, the most ever! If you are interested in joining them, please call Stella McMillan at 489-3363.

Duplicate Bridge at Park Lane on August 12 had a record turnout too!! What is happening here? North/south, in first place, Alex McLeod and Mike Collins; second Mayme Douglas and Verna Carnochan; and third, Phyllis and Fred Wead. East/west: first, Sharon Carruthers and Nick Lehoczy; second, Marianne and Herb Staneland; and third, Grace Smyth and Dorothy McIntyre, the two mothers-in-law.

The new scoring system at Stanhope reminded me of a conversation I had with guests here last weekend. They were from Waterloo, my home town, and they knew members of my family. The husband had worked for my father at Camp Comak, they were friends of my Uncle Keith and Aunt Helen (they saw their pictures on my stairs) and he worked in the Waterloo school system for years, as did my Dad. Small world!! We talked about the public school I had attended, where etched over the doors in stone were the words BOYS on one end of the school and GIRLS on the other. Never the twain to meet!! One playground for girls, the other for boys. Haven't times changed!! I like that we are all in "this" together.

See you here next week !!!

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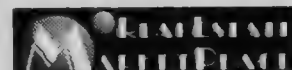
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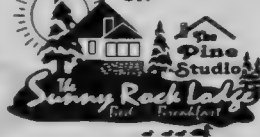
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7D-8C

The following names are those
of the past three months
"Weekly Winners" of the Win-
ning Wednesday Draw, a
fundraiser for the Haliburton
Highlands Guild of Fine Arts,
each winning \$175.00.
May: 6, Audrey Chambers; 13-
Pat Campbell & friends; 20 -
John Parish; 27-Myra Stephen.
June: 3-Penny Obee & McKay
Brydon; 10-Halhinert; 17-Betty
Dawson; 24 - Wendy
Ladurantaye. July: 1-Rod
Thurston; 8-Audrey & Brian
Holden; 15-Alex McLeod; 22-
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2nd ANNUAL COMMUNITY FORUM

Wednesday
August 26, 1998
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both will be followed by a
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Whispering Pines, stories by
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August 19: 10:30 a.m. John
Hulbig the author of Whisper-
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August 20: 11 a.m. Recycling
Plastic, Pop Bottle Pen Holder.
Due to a recent illness and sur-
gery, the silk painting work-
shop must be cancelled. Chris,
we wish you well and a great
recovery.

August 21: FIFI. What does it
mean? Find it and fix it or finish
it. Dig out that project you've
had stored for ages in the closet
or drawer. Gather up the sup-
plies to work on it and join us at
the museum. Maybe the project
is at a standstill because you
don't know what to do next.
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with others. Bring a lunch. From
10:30 a.m. on.

August 22: Used Book, Games
and Jigsaw Puzzles Sale. From
10 a.m. to 3 p.m. This year marks
the 100th anniversary of the
public library system in
Haliburton County. A birthday
card will be sent to the library
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Come in, support the Literacy
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Saturday, August 22

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Saturday, August 22

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

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ESTATE SALE: Wednesday, August 19, 10 a.m. Auction of Real Estate stock and contents of R & D Flea Market and variety. Commercial property c/w living quarters and fast food take out etc. on Hwy 35. 1 km south of Norland or 4.5 km north of Coboconk.

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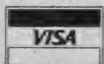
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AT REST

MULDER, John

On Saturday, August 8th, 1998, passed away peacefully at home at the age of 60 after a long battle with cancer. He will be sadly missed and always loved by his wife Evelyn (nee Weddel), daughter Jackie and her husband Bruce Sheppard, son Tim and his wife Doreen, daughter Connie and her husband Mike Lawrence. Dearly missed by his grandchildren Daniel, Joel, Richard, Randy, Molly and Amy. Loving son of the late Dirk and Catharina Mulder of Newmarket. Dear brother of Anne Creighton and Rick Mulder. Funeral services were held at Roadhouse & Rose Funeral Home, 157 Main Street South, Newmarket on Tuesday, August 11, 1998 followed by interment at Newmarket Cemetery. Those wishing may make donations to the Canadian Cancer Society.

HARVIE, Murray

(Resident of Haliburton, Ontario)

At his residence on Sunday morning, August 9, 1998 in his 65th year. Beloved son of the late Clifford and Sadie Harvie. Loving father of Melony and Wendy both of Oshawa. Dear brother of Donna (Mrs. George Pratley) of Whitby, Harold and his wife Emily of Kinmount and Douglas and his wife Carol of Oshawa. Predeceased by his brother Rayburn and sister Myrtle Giles. Lovingly remembered by his five grandchildren. Friends were invited to call at the Haliburton Community Funeral Home, Hwy #118, Haliburton (705) 457-9209 on Tuesday, August 11, 1998 from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service was held in the Chapel on Wednesday morning, August 12, 1998 at 11 o'clock. Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Haliburton. As expressions of sympathy, donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHS Foundation) would be appreciated by the family.

AT REST

LEE, Lisa Ann

At her residence on Monday, August 10, 1998 in her 31st year. Beloved companion of David Koch. Loving mother of Karly Grant. Loving daughter of Barb and Al Seamons of Apsley and David Thomas of Oshawa. Dear sister of Tina of Lindsay. Also lovingly remembered by her great-grandmother Annie Lee of Oshawa and her extended family. Friends were invited to call at the Coboconk Community Funeral Home, Cameron Street (on Hwy #35) in Coboconk (705) 454-3913 on Friday, August 14, 1998 from 12 o'clock (noon) until time of Funeral Service which was held in the Chapel at 1 o'clock. Cremation. As expressions of sympathy donations to the Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation would be appreciated by the family.

TELJEUR, John E.

Passed away at the home of his son in Gelert on Thursday, August 13, 1998, in his 67th year. Husband of Marilyn (nee Murphy). Father of John, Charles and his wife Gina, and Margaret. Brother of Agnes Van Nood, Rosa Van Nood, Olga Hughes and predeceased by Fred. A Memorial Service will be held at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, 127 Main Street, Minden, (1-888-588-5777), on Tuesday, August 18, 1998 at 1 p.m. Reception to follow at the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 636, Highway 35, Minden. Cremation has taken place. Memorial donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated by the family.

IN MEMORIAM

McELWAIN, Debbie - In loving memory of a dear wife and mother who passed away August 23, 1996.

*She was someone very special
Who can never be replaced,
Her memory in our daily lives
Can never be erased.
Time cannot steal the memories
We carry in our hearts,
Or take away the happy years
Of which she was a part.
Forever loved and remembered,
Rick, Ryan and Shane.*

McELWAIN, Debbie - In loving memory of our dear daughter who passed away August 23, 1996.

*We think of you today with love,
As we often do,
We feel again the bitter blow
That never should have come.
Each morning when we awake
And know that you are gone,
No one knows the heartache
As we try to carry on.
Our hearts still ache with sadness
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